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NOTE FOR: A/DCI

FROM : DDI

John

The attached responds to a 15 September letter from Anne Armstrong of PFIAB to the DCI. In her letter, Ms. Armstrong requested a review of our decision of October 1981 to discontinue publishing unclassified analytic reports and to institute a subscription fee for other material we still distribute to the public.

The letter prepared for your signature reflects the result of our monitoring the impact of that decision since its enactment. While there has been some negative response, it has been muted, at best. There is no indication that the policy change has prompted any decrease in Agency-academic contact. This Directorate is, in fact, already benefiting from the plans I initiated earlier this year to broaden the level of our contact with the academic community. To date, the costs have been minimal, and I am convinced there is no need to change what was a wise decision.

For your information, I have attached a listing of all unclassified publications we have distributed to the public (TAB A). Also, I have attached a listing of unclassified publications released under the auspices of other agencies (TAB B).

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Robert M. Gates

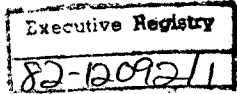


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Washington, D.C. 20505



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Ms. Anne Armstrong
Chairman, President's Foreign
Intelligence Advisory Board

Dear Anne:

Thank you for your letter of 15 September regarding the availability of unclassified analytic reports and the institution of subscription fees for other materials. I welcome the opportunity to share with you the findings to date on the impact of the policy change last October. I have been particularly mindful of negative repercussions to the new policy, recognizing the Agency's need and desire for a close relationship with the academic community. The change, incidentally, brought the Agency in line with the practices of other government agencies in the dissemination of unclassified publications. I expected some fallout but, as you are aware, I was convinced that the costs of operating under the old guidelines were far greater.

To be quite frank, the policy change has resulted in a response that would have to be described as muted, at best. There has been no great cry of protest. The new policy was certainly not directed at academics. Those concerned enough to contact the Agency directly were assured of this. The vast majority of the limited feedback has been in terms of understanding regret, rather than bitterness or anger. In only one documented case has a recipient of our unclassified product reacted so strongly as to decrease his previous level of contact with the Agency. As a result, I do not envision, at this time, enacting any change in our current policy.

I would also like to note that the opportunities available for Agency-academic contact has been greatly expanded. The Deputy Director for Intelligence, in his plans to improve the quality of analysis, has specifically directed his offices to broaden and deepen the exchange of ideas and information with experts on the outside by utilizing additional university course work, consultants, conferences, seminars, and informal sessions. We are already benefiting from these efforts. As we expand them, I am convinced we can display to the academic community our interest in a viable relationship and effectively undercut any remaining negative aspects of last October's change in policy.

I might add that there are numerous reference aids and statistical reviews still available and distributed through the channels established last October. If you would like more details, I would be happy to provide you a listing. As always, please do not hesitate to contact me on this or any other concerns as they arise.

Sincerely,

/S/ John N. McMahon

John N. McMahon
Acting Director of Central Intelligence



27 September 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Assistant to the ADDI

FROM : Douglas J. MacEachin
DD/CPAS

SUBJECT : Publication of Unclassified Analytic Report

With regard to your request to me on unclassified analytic reports, (see attachment) attached is the published index of CIA Publications Released to the Public, (May 1982) covering papers released through the end of 1981. Also attached is a separate list of the 1982 issuances not covered in the May 82 index. I cannot be certain that all maps are included on the supplementary list, but I am reasonably confident that all other reference aids are listed.



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Douglas J. MacEachin

Attachment: a/s

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Title China: International Trade, Second Quarter
1981
Category Serial
Pub-Num EA CIT 82-001
Dissem Date February 1982

Title China: International Trade, Third Quarter
1981
Category Serial
Pub-Num EA CIT 82-002
Dissem Date May 1982

Title China: International Trade, Fourth Quarter
1981
Category Serial
Pub-Num EA CIT 82-003
Dissem Date June 1982

Title China: International Trade Annual Statistical
Supplement
Category Serial
Pub-Num EA 82-10015
Dissem Date February 1982

Title Handbook of Economic Statistics
Category Serial
Pub-Num CPAS 82-10006
Dissem Date September 1982

Title Soviet Acquisition of Western Technology,
Category Reference Aid
Pub-Num Unnumbered-No Agency attribution
Dissem Date April 1982

Title CIA Publications Released to the Public
Category Serial
Pub-Num DI 82-10029

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OCO TITLE USSR SUMMARY (TOPICAL AND REFERENCE)
PUB-NUM 504392 - 504395
CATEGORY MAP
DISSEM DATE 82/01/28
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TITLE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC SUMMARY MAP
PUB-NUM 504708
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DISSEM DATE 82/05/28
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TITLE SOVIET UNION
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TITLE BEIJING
PUB-NUM 505080
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PUB-NUM CR 81-10218
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/01/22
CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED

TITLE CHINESE ACADEMY OF SCIENCES
PUB-NUM CR 82-10637
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/07/08
CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED

TITLE DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS OF HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC
PUB-NUM CR 82-10492
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/03/22
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TITLE ORGANIZATION OF THE USSR MINISTRY OF DEFENSE
PUB-NUM CR 82-10941
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
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CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/04/12
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TITLE DIRECTORY OF SOVIET OFFICIALS: SCIENCE AND EDUCATION
PUB-NUM CR 82-11521
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
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TITLE DIRECTORY OF USSR MINISTRY OF DEFENSE OFFICIALS
PUB-NUM CR 82-11533
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/05/28
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TITLE CHINESE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
PUB-NUM CR 82-10071
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/06/24
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TITLE DIRECTORY OF CHINESE OFFICIALS: NATIONAL LEVEL ORGANIZATIONS
PUB-NUM CR 82-11384
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/08/03
CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED

TITLE DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS OF THE BULGARIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC
PUB-NUM CR 82-11697
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
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TITLE DIRECTOY OF CHINESE OFFICIALS: PROVINCIAL LEVEL
PUB-NUM CR 81-12571
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/01/28
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TITLE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY (KSC)
PUB-NUM CR 82-10200
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PUB-NUM CR 82-10660
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DISSEM DATE 82/03/22
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TITLE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA
PUB-NUM
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/08/23
CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED

TITLE BULGARIAN COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERSHIP
PUB-NUM CR 82-11023
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/09/02
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TITLE DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS OF NORTH KOREA (U)
PUB-NUM CR 82-11399
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
DISSEM DATE 82/07/07
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TITLE DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS OF THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA
PUB-NUM CR 82-13380
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DISSEM DATE 82/08/20
CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED

TITLE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM: GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE
PUB-NUM CR 82-13705
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PUB-NUM CR 82-14044
CATEGORY REFERENCE AID
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	PUB-NUM	NF HES 81-001
	CATEGORY	REFERENCE AID
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	PUB-NUM	SOV 82-10093
	CATEGORY	REFERENCE AID
	DISSEM DATE	82/09/14
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